

15 million, 15 million, five; next year 19 million, seven hundred; and the next year after that, '91-92, 9 million, eight and 1 million, two. And I guess some people, both off and on the Appropriations Committee, have asked me why did you do this, why are you doing this, and I guess the time that I speak on this floor is very, very...not very often, don't talk very often about anything, I guess, but last week as I was sitting listening to our debate on LB 813, I guess that...and I looked at the green sheet and I, you know, visited with the Fiscal Office about it, is that last week on the green sheets, and so forth, there was with the parentheses around as prepared by the Fiscal Office of about a deficit of 47.5 with all the A bills and all the appropriations bills, and this, getting today's figures, it shows a reduction of \$92 million, and I guess that is where the amendment come. It's simply a concern on my part, I guess, on what should we do in state government, I guess, as far as funding. Should we fund services and people or bricks and mortars? I guess I prefer services as reflected in the A bills and also in LB 813. I think that we have added some things to LB 813 last week, like the funding for substance abuse, to help the aging, and the minority scholarship, and so forth. So I think it is a philosophical position on my part, and what it does, it does cut back, you know, over \$30 million within the next two years, and I guess I have asked some of the Appropriations Committee privately, I guess, about where do the 20 items that they put in, you know, come from, I guess is one of my questions to them, and then why, you know, did the Appropriations Committee recommend funding to this body rather than the Governor. I think all of the projects probably are very worthwhile and probably have been long overdue. And I guess my question, other question I have is what do we pay for and what do we cut; which segments of the population deserve the benefits of the dollars that are here available. You know, I can't explain why, you know, why the Appropriations chose the priorities that they did, the 20 priorities. I don't know that. I do know that I think the way the process works in the Appropriations Committee is that agencies make requests to the Governor first, the Governor puts out her budget, and then the Appropriations Committee looks at it and makes their requests. And so the Appropriations Committee has made, I guess, more requests, I guess, within the next couple of years for funding of capital construction than the Governor is recommending. And so as I look at the whole issue of the appropriations process, I guess, you know, are the items in 814, which we...more important than the ones in LB 813, the other A bills, and so forth? And